FRI DAY..... DECEMBER 18

Nevada Again Attacked

Eastern papers are advancing the idea that Nevada should be made a part of Utah in order that her citizens be deprived of their representation in congress and the silver cause suffer thereby. While the East is so lavish in its advice, let us suggest that Delaware be absorbed by New York state. There is no state more corrupt in its political life than Delaware, and in point of population, all that can be point of intellectuality the white population of Nevada snows the smallest percentage of illiterates of any people in the Union, and her senators and congressmen have always stood state while Delaware is accorded the rights of statehood .- Ogden Standard.

To be Changed

It has been suggested and the idea indorsed by some of the leading journals of the country that begining with the year 1900 that the system of computing time by month be changed. The proposition is to have thirteen months instead of twelve, each to have twenty eight days, except the last to have twenty nine and in leap year thirty. This would make the same day of the week fall on the same day of the month throughout the year. There is no question but what such a change would be a great benefit to the business world, but a transition from the old system to the new would be decidedly awkward for awhile.

The Kermeen Boy.

Walter Kermeen, the boy who is bound over to appear before the Grand Jury on a charge of attempted arson, will be much better off for awhile at least, if he is not out on bail. It is clear that the boy has a mania for his work of incendiarism, and if another fire should occur while he is at liberty, even were he innocent of it, the boy would be regarded as responsible for the fire, and with an excited community it would go very hard with him. In case of bail his father would do well to take him away from Carson

Death of Wm. Bottsford.

until his trial comes off.

here, having served a term as Sheriff outside to catch him, but he got away. of Ormsby county, died at Alida Valley, Esmeralda county, last week.

Mr. Bottsford was but a short distance from home when he suffered a stroke of paralysis and died before he could reach the house.

He was brother of Mrs. E. L. Buck ingham, who lost her husband not long ago in San Francisco.

The fine weather still hangs on.

Judge Rieves of Eureka is in this

The dance last evening was a big

success. J. A. Stewart of Truckee is at Shaws

Hot Springs.

Harry Greenwood of San Francisco is in town.

Try the Sultan Blend roast coffee

at Walsh & Wylies. E. S. Farrington of Elko has spent

several days in Carson.

There is a great rush for holiday candies at Muller and Richardsons,

If you want something pretty, and

and hosiery at waolesale cost at the Emporium.

Nockties, handkerchiefs, writlets,

Ed Perrow, pitcher for the Nevada Stars, has been offered a position on the Examiner in the art department.

Jerry Bray is back from the west after a two months trip in California. He is looking well, says he had a fine trip and will commence putting holes in tickets tomorrow.

The Committee on Foreign Affairs reported favorably on the joint resolution in favor of Cuba yesterday. The resolution declares for the recognition of the independence of Cuba.

Christmas Goods

Jewelry, books, albums, cuttlery, glassware, toilet articles, fancy goods Christmas ornaments at John G. Fox's.

When Baoy was sick, we gave her Castoria. When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria. me Miss, she elung to Castoria. When she had Children, she save them Castori THE KERMEEN CASE.

The Preliminary Examination Before Justice Hawthorne

The Court room was crowded yesterday morning to listen to the preliminary examination in the case of Walter Kermeen, charged with break-

with the intent to commit arson. Ex-Sheriff Ulrick, the first witness, told the story of his arresting the defendant on Monday morning in the Central School building about twenty minutes of five. The defendant pried up a window and got into the room with a bag of kindlings anda said against Nevada can be brought bottle partly filled with coal oil. Witto bear against that state, while in ness saw defendant crawl into the window, and arrested him. His story was the same as published in the daily papers of the city at the time of the arrest.

During the testimony of the witthe equals of the greatest minds of ness, Mr. and Mrs. Kermeen came our nation. Nevada will remain a into the Court room and took seats a little back of Waiter. The accused turned his head away after he first million votes cast fo. him. saw them, and hiding his eyes with his hands began to cry.

The defendant had claimed to witness that a man named Bi'l Hopper had pulled him out of his bed and sent him to fire the school house, not giving him time to put on his shoes or hat.

An old man named John Hopper lives near the Kermeens and is a friend of the family. Afterwards he said it was Pete Hopper.]

Witness was cross-examined by Mr. Woodburn on behalf of the defence, but nothing of importance was elicted, except that the defendant during the minute and a half between the time he got in the window and the time he was arrested, made no attempt to light a match, Witness found loose matches on his person Window was four feet and a haif from the ground. Witness thought defendant got in by means of the rake. Setting its teeth down on the baseboard and water table of the school house would make it a good step, leaving but three feet eight irches from there to the window sill. Witness merely advanced this as a theory. He did not find the rake, About three weeks before when watching he saw a young lad come to the school house at midnight and at tempt to raise the window with a rake handle. The window was nailed down and he could not raise it. He was near the window and saw it was a boy with gray clothes on and a tur-Wm. Bottsford, who is well known ban hat. Witness went round on the He then fixed a board so if any one came there it would knock the board

> About 2 o'clock on the morning of the arrest the board was knocked down.

> Mr. Dobbs corroborated Mr. Ulrick's testimony and the bag of kindling wood was placed in evidence. Witness had found the rake under the window placed teeth down on the base board of the building, so as to make a step, in the position Mr. Ulrick had supposed it to be.

Constable Patterson testified in regard to the boy giving a wrong name and the testimony for the State closed, Justice Hawthorne then bound the defendant over before the Grand Jury and acceeded to Woodburn's re-

quest that the bail be not raised. His father last evening decided not to bail his son out, as he was quite comfortable in the jail.

Supplementary Sale

Several donations of fancy work having been received since the Presthe sametime useful, Call at F. W. byterian sale, among them some very pretty pieces of linnen from Alaska, there will be a supplementary sale at the Manse Saturday afternoon from two to four o'clock.

Fine Photographs

Johnston & Simas, the well known San Francisco photographers will remain in Carson but a short time longer. The finest work at extremely low figures. Call and see samples and obtain some of their fine Cabinet and Paris panels at cut rates. Studio opposite the Capitol on Carson St. nov 3 2w.

Selling Out.

I am selling out my entire stock of Chinaware and Japanese goods at cost Give me a call and doc't forget the place-Two blocks below the Briggs House. GEE HING.

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Trib cures bruises and sprains. Geo. W. Kitzmeyer's Furnituer Store is the place to find many useful articles for holiday presents, at great bargaine.

Thaxter's bargain counter is cutting a wide swath with the buyers of holiday goods.

Vest Scores the Republicans.

In the Senate Friday Vest of Misso it called up the Dingley full for he put use of making remarks. He said he appreciated he was talking of a dead is one and would not altude to it if many well meaning people were not arging congress to ac' upon this measure. He regarded the Dinging into the Central School building ley bill as one of the m st remark able pieces of legislation ever presented.

> Nest spoke vehemently against the protective heory and declared Me-Kinley's election had not brought prosperity. He asserted his election was a par dy on free institutions. He hoped to see the investigation, for he shared the belief expressed by Senator Chandler, that circumstances leading up to the St. Louis convention were honeycombed with fraud. He declared prosperity would never come with an addition of tariff taxes and a greater volume of money was he only relief.

> Vest paid a strong tribute to Wilham J. Bryan, and pointed out six

The Airship Again.

The Long Valley Indians say they have seen the much talked of airship in the day time. One Indian said to a Gazette reporter this morning: "Him ig as a car, and goes all same as bird." The Gazette man asked if he had not heard about Johnson Sides lecture on fire-water and if he did not think it wrong for Indians to drink whiskey. "Me no drink," said Jim, "Me beap s-e 'em all same as see you now. You think I drink cause I see 'em airship. I s-e 'em, my mahala ehe see 'em, my papoos see 'em too and other Injun he see 'em. No all drunk. My mahala she dlink some time, but no dlauk when sae see 'em." While we don't question Jim's vision, or doubt but that he saw something, we confess a doubt about it being an airship.—Gazette.

A Fght Arranged

New York, Dec. 17 .- Articles for a fight between James J. Corbett and Robert Fitzsimmons were submitted to and approved by the first named at Jersey City today.

The articles call for a finish fight for a purse of \$15,000, the winner to take all.

As a guarantee that Fitzsimmons and Corbett will be at the ring side at the date set far the contest, each man must post \$2,500 with Richard K. Fox, or Al Smith, the New York sporting man. This is to go to Stuart in case either fails to appear. Stuart agrees to post \$5,000 that he will pull off the between the two men if he fails to pull off the fight on the date named to be of the best quality. He will place the sum of \$10,000 in the hands of either Fox or Smith thirty days before the date set for the contest, and if the fight does not come off through his failure, he will forfeit this money, \$5,000 going to each, Fitzsimmons and Corbett. George Siler of Chicago is named as Referee.

The fight is set for M such 17th. 1897, between 7 o'clock in the morning and 11:45 at night. The place will be named February 17th. Stewart reserves all privileges.

Desolution of Partnership

Notice is hereby given that the firm, heretofore known as Catton & Robinson, has this day desolved partnership by mutual consent. Mr. Catton will collect all money due and pay all bills,

Mr. John Cation will continue the business as proprietor.

JOHN CATTON. RICHARD ROBINSON.

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Take Laxative Brome Quinine Tablet All druggists refund the money it fa ils to cure. 25c.

Benefit for Merrick-

On Thursday the 24th the day before Christmas there will be a turkey shoot at Empire under the Wiggins auspices, and a dance on the evening of the 25th. Arrangements have been made for great hilarity.

The dance will be given as a benefit for John Merrick.

For Charity.

The Kings Daughters have many calls upon them this Winter and will be glad of donations of clothes, cash or any of the necessities of life. Leave such offerings with Mrs. Mary Wall, and they will be judiciously distributed. They are especially desired before Christmas. Anyone having lost an emblem of the order can recover the same by calling on Mrs. Wall.

Xmas Goods

Joe Platt has received a large invoice of new goods in which immense reductions in prices are made, also a

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